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> Ramirez v. Smart Foods Inc et al. Re:

Civil Action No.: 2:21-cv-12408

## Dear Judge Espinosa:

I represent the defendants. In response to Plaintiff's counsel's letter of May 3, 2022, I object to a delay in the taking of Plaintiff's deposition, scheduled for May 6, 2022. It has been difficult to schedule Plaintiff and his sworn testimony should not be delayed or stayed. I otherwise do not object to Ms. Grunfeld's request leave to withdraw after May 6, 2022.

Respectfully submitted,

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